

# Cup May Be Provided for Both Central and Western, Who Tied in Track Meet

## TWO TEAMS FEARED IN SCHOOL MEET

Central and Western, Who Finish High in Maryland Agricultural College Games, Are Looked Upon as Probable Point Winners in Interscholastic Sports on May 17.

By KIRK C. MILLER.

Central and Western High School track teams are today being looked upon with fear by the other scholastic teams of the city, for between those two institutions lies the probable winner of the high school field and track championships, which will be decided at College Park, Md., May 17. All of the precocity in the result of the showing of the Western and Central squads at Maryland Agricultural College's annual field and track games yesterday, they having tied for first honors.

Twenty-one team points were registered by the Red and White and Blue and White athletes, in a meet that was unanimously voted the most successful held in these parts for many, many moons. The highest of athletic caliber that has been displayed in an outdoor event by scholastic and college teams was seen yesterday at the M. A. C. games, and no meet ever run at College Park has seen the general high class that was asserted at those games.

**Displays Good Talent.**

Next to the tied teams, Baltimore Polytechnic Institute displayed the best athletic talent, getting 18 points, while Tome Institute, at Port Deposit, Md., followed closely with 14 points to its credit. Technical High School, Maryland's University School, A. A. Academy, Towson High School followed in the scholastic class. In the collegiate competition St. John's College scored 47 points, against 23 for Maryland Agricultural College and Western Maryland.

Three events, the 100-yard, 220-yard, and 440-yard sprints, were the most individual work of any of the Washington contingent. In the 100-yard event, the Western athlete had it easy throughout, finishing well ahead of his field, while the 220-yard was not quite so easily clinched. Kelly, of Baltimore Polytechnic Institute, gave Jones a stiff struggle to keep ahead toward the last, but the boy from across the creek was equal to the task, despite the competition from the rest.

Jones' performance in the running broad jump caused a wild round of applause from those who saw him take one leap when he cleared 21 feet, 3 inches.

Central's star proved to be Galloway, a sturdy little distance runner, who ran the mile, thereby boosting the points of his team to a considerable height. The race he put up yesterday finished in one of the cleverest spurts shown in the meet. For a

long time he refused to let himself out, saving his vitality for the last, which served him in good stead. He won by a comfortable margin.

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Episcopal High School, however, held a steady pace and crossed the wire in the lead. Catholic University's first man fell in the college relay, and Galloway easily outdistanced Western Maryland. George Washington was third while M. A. C. and St. John's withdrew from the race.

**Initial Victory Is Lot of C. U. Nine**

Brooklanders Capture First Game of Northern Trip by Blanking Midshipmen.

ANAPOLIS, Md., May 4.—Catholic University was successful in its first game of its Northern trip, when the Midshipmen bowed to the reputed Washingtonians 4 to 0. For seven innings the game was a pitching duel with Seibert holding the margin over "Chief" Green of the visitors. Victory was assured in the last inning, when Seibert weakened and afforded the Catholic players their chance.

Pipp, the rangy first baseman of the visiting club, aided his team to the game by a brace of timely clouts at opportune occasions. He followed McDonnell's triple in the seventh with his first single, while his other hit in the ninth scored two teammates on second and third. Wonderful fielding by Catholic University outfielders marked the best playing of either contender on the defense. Six catches by Lynch in left were of sensational order.

**Jack Soutar Wins World's Tennis Title**

PHILADELPHIA, May 4.—Jack Soutar, of Philadelphia, won the professional racquet championship of the world here yesterday in defeating Charles Williams, of England, the title holder, at the Racquet Club.

The new champion played in whirlwind style, and after the first game, which he took at 5 to 2, there seemed to be little doubt that he would win the title. His attack was sharp and his defense practically perfect. His service was accurate, and his lightning playing had the English champion in distress at times.

Williams played truer to form in the second game, but the American ran out his necessary fifteen while his Englishman could only accumulate eight points. In the third game both players began to show the effect of the fast pace and the heat, the weather being the warmest of the year. Williams displayed the most distress, however, and he could put together only four points while Soutar was running out.

The fourth and final game was all Soutar. Continuing his terrific attack and hard and clean service, he easily took the game and the title at 15-3.

**New York State League.**

Wilkesbarre, 6; Binghamton, 1.  
Elmira, 4; Scranton, 1.  
Syracuse, 1; Utica, 0.  
Albany, 4; Troy, 1.

### Another Cup May Be Posted for M. A. C. Meet

In all probability a second cup will be presented by M. A. C. for the winners of yesterday's field and track meet held at College Park. Central and Western are tied for team trophy, the prize being a silver cup. As no provision was made by the management in case of a tie, Principal Wilson, of Central High School, has suggested to Superintendent Richardson, of Maryland Agricultural College, that a second cup be provided—one for Central and one for Western.

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### ARMY NINE IS TOO MUCH FOR VIRGINIA

Patch, Big West Point Twirler, Has His Opponents at Mercy Throughout Game.

WEST POINT, N. Y., May 4.—University of Virginia's baseball team on its Northern trip met a severe reverse in its game with West Point yesterday, the cadets taking all the better of a one-sided encounter, 9 to 2. Grant started for Virginia but soon gave way to Neff who proved no more effective than his erratic predecessor. Three triples and a home run were included in thirteen hits made by Army.

On the other hand, Patch, who twirled for Army, had his opponents stopped throughout the game and allowed his almost helpless foes but five scattered hits, one a double by Phillips. Each team is charged with three fielding offenses.

**R. H. E.**  
Army.....0 2 2 3 1 0 0 0 2-9 12 2  
Virginia.....0 1 0 0 1 1 0 0 0-5 3 3  
Batteries—Patch and Milburn; Grant, Neff and Green.

### Athletics Progressive In West, Says Sullivan

NEW YORK, May 4.—The growth of track and field athletics in the West is related in glowing terms by Secretary James E. Sullivan, who has just returned from a trip to the Pacific coast. Sullivan will be director of the sports during the Panama Exposition at San Francisco in 1915, and he expects it to be one of the greatest athletic meets in the history of American sport.

"They are making wonderful strides in athletics on the Pacific coast," he said. "In fact they are more progressive there than we are in the East and will produce better men in time. It was my good fortune to aid in the establishment of two new associations which will become affiliated with the A. A. U. These are the Rocky Mountain Association, which will take in Colorado, New Mexico and Wyoming, and the Intermountain Association, to be composed of Utah and Montana."

He said the A. A. U. championships, which probably will be held in Chicago between June 23 and July 5, would bring together practically all the prominent athletes of the United States. Sullivan, as promoter of the plan to hold the meet in Chicago would probably pay the expenses of all athletes of championship caliber.

**Yale Rallies Twice And Defeats Brown**

PROVIDENCE, May 4.—Yale handed Brown her first defeat on Anderson Field, beating the Brunonians by a ninth inning batting rally; score, 4 to 2. It was a pitchers' battle from the start, with Eayres doing the honors for Brown and Gile for the visitors, the latter having a little better of the seven, but the Yale twirler held the Brown batsmen to five singles, while the Yale swatters found Eayres for nine hits, including a three bagger by Riddell in the sixth.

### Injury Will Not Keep Him Out of Game



CHICK GANDIL, National's Big First Baseman, Who Injured Foot And Ankle In Blocking Duffy Lewis.

### TENNIS STARS TO BE IN TOURNAMENT

Annual Open Series at Chevy Chase Club, Beginning Wednesday, Has Big Entry.

Some of the leading Eastern tennis players will take part in the annual open tournament of the Chevy Chase Club which begins next Wednesday. Besides the contingent of Washington stars, which includes Connie and Harold Dore, there will be a number to participate who hold or have held championship titles or have been among the leading players in the big Eastern championship matches for the last several seasons.

Heading the list of reputable entries for the big classic are Beals C. Wright, former national champion; Richard Palmer, F. C. Inman and T. R. Pell of New York. The latter was an American representative in the international championships at the Swedish Olympiad in Stockholm last summer. Gustav Tschander and his playing mate, Craig Hiddle are other entrants of identity who will essay to wrest the championship doubles title from the Dore brothers.

It is expected that Misses Eva Baker, present holder of the women's singles, and Marie Wimer, former champion, will give the Washington representation sufficient strength to retain the titles in the capital. Other prominent ladies visitors will be Mrs. Turner, of Boston; Miss Smith, of Andover; Miss Atterbury and Miss Prescott, of New York.

**Caddy Finds True Meaning of "Highball"**

WILMINGTON, Del., May 4.—Rodney Warren, a twelve-year-old caddy who heard players at the Wilmington Country Club discussing "highballs" yesterday, gathered the idea that the drink was in some way connected with the golf ball. He cut open one of the balls and found it filled with a liquid which he drank. A stomach pump saved his life. The doctor found the liquid in the ball was highly impregnated with arsenic.

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### BOB THAYER'S SPORTING GOSSIP

"EVERY KNOCK IS A BOOST."

Griff's tactics.

Clark Griffith has a neat little way of letting his pitchers work out their own salvations when they get in tight places. He let Bob Groom get himself out of what looked to be a mighty close squeeze in Friday's game, and again yesterday Griffith refused to take the man out of the box until the boy had had a good chance to win or lose the game.

**Won the battle.**

The real crisis of yesterday's game at Boston was in the eighth inning, when Danny Moeller and "Zeb" Milan really won the battle for the "Clippers." Moeller hammered a beautiful double to right, and crossed the plate when Milan sent a clean single whizzing to the center field. The score had already been tied in the event when Shanks' hit scored Laporte.

**C. F. takes trip.**

While Catholic University really commenced its Northern trip when it defeated Navy at Annapolis yesterday, the main trip will not begin until tomorrow, when it leaves for a trip into New England which will last for about ten days, during which some of the best nines of that section will be met.

**King is starting.**

Sylvan King is keeping the name of King green in athletic matters. I note with pleasure that the big fellow sent the ball hurtling into the bleachers when he was at the bat last week in a game against Princeton Freshmen. King is the Central High School football and basketball star, who has led his teams to many scholastic championships in both games.

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**American Association.**

Columbus, 5; Kansas City, 0.  
Minneapolis, 10; Toledo, 1.  
Louisville, 10; St. Paul, 2.  
Indianapolis, 2; Milwaukee, 2 (11 innings).

**Tri-state League.**

York, 5; Atlantic City, 4.  
Trenton, 8; Wilmington, 5.  
Harrisburg, 12; Allentown, 2.

## MICHIGAN TENNIS TEAM PLAYS HERE

Ann Arbor Troupe Will Meet Georgetown Squad on Hill-top Courts May 20.

The Georgetown University tennis team will meet the University of Michigan squad on the Hill-top courts on Tuesday, May 20, according to the statement made by Manager Graham today. The Westerners are making a tour of the East, meeting all the larger universities of this section, and it has been only after the greatest difficulty that the Ann Arbor troupe has been scheduled to appear in this city. No admission will be charged for the contest and a large crowd is expected to be on hand to witness the matches.

Yesterday the crack University of Pennsylvania band scored a rather easy victory over the West Enders, Captain O'Boyle being the only Blue and Gray athlete who was able to score a win over the Quaker City aggregation. Devlin and McNulty forced Jennings and Reopole to play three sets to defeat them, but outside of these matches the Philadelphians had an easy time of it. The scores of the matches was as follows:

Jones, U. of P. vs. O'Boyle, G. U., 6-4, 3-6, 6-2.  
Kennedy, U. of P. vs. Amy, G. U., 6-2, 6-1.  
Jennings, U. of P. vs. Graham, G. U., 3-6, 6-2, 6-2.  
Reopole, U. of P. vs. Devlin, G. U., 6-1, 6-3.  
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### Baseball Chatter.

Catcher Ted Easter is doing a 1-hant work for the White Sox, both behind the plate and with the bat.

The Lincoln team got a good start in the Western League race, winning four of the first five games played.

Out of sympathy for the Central Association scorers Joe Schimmski, of the Kewanee team, has changed his name to Schirm.

Despite the heavy damage caused by the recent floods in Ohio and Indiana, the Central League opened on time to big crowds.

"Red" Doolin's Phillies, who looked like a bunch of counterfeits before the season opened, are now producing some high-class pastime.

Just because they didn't need Cobb the management of the Detroit Tigers came to terms with the "Georgia Thriller" and signed him.

With Sharpshooters Rucker, Allen and Stack pitching real ball, Bill Dahlan's Superbas are bound to cop a fair share of their games.

If Frank Chance had a couple of more Keatings, the Highlanders would be heard from before the American League pennant is cinched.

Steve Yerkes, who played great ball for the Red Sox last year, has been pretty much on the outside around the Keystone sack this spring.

Toronto gets a fine performer in Pitches Goulette. Demaree's great showing with the Giants meant the pink slip for "Goo," and Joe Kelley landed him.

This fellow Johnson, the Naps' first sacker, is some clouter. Lajoie, Jackson, and Johnson form a trio of heavy hitters that will freeze the feet of many a pitcher.

Manager Kelley, of the Indianapolis Indians, has been taking another giant at Hickory Nixon, now with Terre Haute. The Indians caned Hickory a few weeks ago because he got the hookwork.

Manager Jake Stahl of the champs says that he has been out of the game on account of weak legs, but it is whispered that Jake's batting glims are on the blink; hence the bench duty.

Anyway the Boston Braves led the National League the first week of the season. It is perhaps better for a team to lead the league the last week of the season, but the Braves did nice work at that.

Hugh Fullerton, the Chicago expert, picks the Pirates to win the National League pennant. Hugh always was a great baseball prophet. He can pick almost any team to win a trip to the diamond as John L. Sullivan can in the ring.

Commodore Morton F. Plant, owner of the New London club of the Eastern Association, has had a ball yard, "strandand" erected at his ball yard, to accommodate himself and friends. Now the society editor will have to break into the game.

## AMATEURS MEET ON WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Business of Routine Nature Will Be Conducted, There Being Several Applications Now Before the Commission Which Are Waiting to Be Acted Upon.

**Amateur Schedule for Tomorrow Afternoon**

Treasury League—N. R. A. vs. Hydro, at White Lot Ellipse.  
East Washington S. S.—Ninth vs. First Presbyterian, at Thirteenth and D streets northeast.  
Federal—Pension vs. Trinity, at Grant circle and Upshur street.  
Departmental—Interstate, the Post-office, at White Lot Ellipse.  
Central—Printers vs. Northern, at First and M streets northeast.  
Marquette—Trinity vs. Naval Medical, at Wisconsin avenue and Thirty-fifth street.  
Railroad League—Southern vs. Car Department.  
Capital City—Southland vs. Waverly.

## ROBINSON A MARVEL IN ATHLETIC WORLD

Credited With Setting World's Record for 220-Yard Dash in School Meet.

STATE COLLEGE, Pa., May 4.—World's sprinting records were smashed in the interscholastic track meet here Friday night when the Civil Service League was the leading man in the event, schoolboy from Mercersburg Academy.

In the first heat of the 100-yard dash his time was 9.5 seconds, equaling the world's amateur record for the distance, held by Dan Kelly, and established at Spokane, in 1908. In the final heat he ran in 8.45, equaling the scholastic record for the distance.

His most remarkable performance, however, was in the 220-yard dash, when the stop watches caught him in 20.45 seconds, two-fifths of a second faster than any previous mark.

The track was carefully surveyed after the race and found to be full length.

Only last Saturday at the Pennsylvania relay carnival, Robinson ran a quarter of a mile in 48.5 seconds, the fastest time ever made by a schoolboy. If Robinson's record is accepted, he will rank as the marvel of the athletic world. It is said that three watches were held and that all agreed on the remarkable time.

Bernie Wedel, now coach of the Columbia track team, has held the world's amateur record for 220 yards, at 15.5 seconds, while Dan Kelly has been credited with the same mark.

**Southern League.**

Chattanooga, 3; Nashville, 2 (ten 1-innings).  
New Orleans, 4; Memphis, 3 (10 innings).  
Birmingham, 5; Montgomery, 2.  
Atlanta, 3; Birmingham, 5.

**New England League.**

Lawrence, 8; Portland, 3.  
Worcester, 4; Fall River, 3.  
Dorchester, 5; New Bedford, 2.  
Lowell, 11; Lynn, 2.

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